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Office of Special Nutritionals (HFS-450) Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition U.S. Food and Drug Administration 200 C St. SW Washington, DC 20204

RE: Notification for Certain Types of Statements on Dietary Supplements

Dear Sir or Madam:

As required by Section 403 (r)(6)(c) of the Food, Drug and Cosmetic Act, Pharmanex, Inc., 2000 Sierra Point Parkway, Brisbane, California 94005, intends to market a dietary supplement product with the following label statements of nutritional support:

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Product identified as Vein Formula with the following label statements:

- Promotes beauty from the inside out.
- Promotes leg vein health.
- Provides the beneficial ingredients that help promote better circulatory and leg vein health.
- A patented grape seed extract (Masquelier Original OPC 85) and vitamin C work together to promote healthy collagen, which provide structural integrity to the vascular system.
- Helps maintain normal water balance in the legs.
- Helps nutritionally reinforce the circulatory health of your legs.
- Provides clinically tested nutrients that help maintain circulation and leg vein health, keeping legs looking attractive and healthy.
- Helps maintain normal water balance by promoting capillary integrity in the legs.

I certify that the information contained in this notice is complete and accurate and that Pharmanex, Inc. has substantiation that these statements are truthful and not misleading.

Sincerely,

Carsten Smidt

Director of Nutrition Research